

## **I. AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph starting on page 5, line 25 with the following paragraph.

--Corynebacterium glutamicum LP-6, which was deposited as DSM5816 in the context of EP-B 0 472 869, contains the novel plasmids pTET3 and pCRY4 in addition to the plasmids pGA1 and pGA2 described therein. DSM Accession No. 5816 was deposited under the Budapest Treaty on February 23, 1990 at the Deutsche Sammlung von Mikroorganismen und Zellkulturen GmbH (DSM), Mascheroder Weg 1B, D-3300 Braunschweig, Germany. The storage period for DSM5816 has been extended pursuant to rule 9.1 of the Budapest Treaty. -